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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

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copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

The city gets a slightly better contract on the new paving job than on the last.

Before the summer is over another eye-sore on lower Main street will have been covered up with clean granite.

The nation's secondary line of defence is now in camp at the state camp ground. It is of primary importance that it be kept in serviceable condition.

One Quincy woman prays for an injunction on a graphophone operated by another Quincy woman. Those within the graph. zones in Barre will watch the woman's efforts.

If there is an overworked committee in the city council it is the street committee. Practically every reference was to that committee at last evening's meeting. Wherever possible, the work ought to be lightened.

All was peaceful, was the report from Rochester, where Governor Bell and Congressman Haskins attended the veterans' reunion. But Gov. Bell complimented the veterans and Congressman Haskins complimented the veterans.

GOWN GOSSIP.

Batiste is the ideal summer corset material.

Hats are growing sensibly larger, with a hint of higher crowns.

In parlors the newest thing is to have blouse and parasol embroidered to match.

Dull gold galloons of various widths are much used in combinations with a brilliant color.

Using different linings makes a lot of variety in embroidered dresses, for the effect is quite different with each color.

Linon tailor costumes—as thoroughly tailored and as severe, some of them, as the severest of the cloth suits—grow more and more popular.

The Cuckoo.

It has long been known to be a fact that the cuckoo lays its eggs in the nests of other birds and when hatched out the intruders will occupy the nest to the exclusion of the rightful owners.

Book Burnings.

Among the early Christians the books of heretics, such as Origen and Arius, were frequently burned in great piles, while the heretics resorted in kind by burning the writings of the orthodox controversialists.

The Chinese Pink.

The Chinese pink was first sent from China to Paris by missionaries in 1705. The double ones were first noted among seedlings in 1719 in Paris gardens.

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JINGLES AND JESTS.

Two Opinions.

"Oh, none of this marrying business for me!"
A young woman argued, in whom there was dearth of softness and moonshine: "I vow and declare I just wouldn't marry the last man on earth!"

"Well, I would," responded a meek little maid.
Whose pathway was littered with masculine wrecks.
"Nor would I accept him for his sake or mine."
But simply to spite all the rest of my sex."
—Puck.

Not Quite the Same.

Miss Passy—He said I was very sensible for my years, didn't he?
Miss Cutting—No, dear. He said you were "sensitive about your years."—Philadelphia Press.

Brief.

Silly Willie
Rocked the boat;
Silly Willie
Couldn't float.
Village church bell—
Funeral note.
—Baltimore American.

Not Edible.

"This is a new shaving soap I'm using," said the barber. "How do you like it?"
"Externally," spluttered the victim.—Philadelphia Ledger.

By a Mistle Youth.

Fate seems to have figured it out for me.
That marry I never can.
For, while the right girl I often have found,
I seem always to be the wrong man!
—Brooklyn Life.

Judging by Effects.

"My daughter adores her piano."
"From the way the unhappy instrument shrieks and groans I'm afraid her love is not reciprocated."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

An Impression of Europe.

From trouble there is no release;
There's turmoil day and night.
As soon as one land looks for peace
Another starts a fight.
—Washington Star.

France's Royal Library.

In 1364 the Royal Library of France contained twenty volumes and was the largest possessed by any king in Europe.

A Bible Translation.

A Gothic Christian bishop once translated the Bible into the Gothic language for the use of his people, but omitted the book of Kings lest the wars told of there should increase their propensity for fighting.

The Yellowstone Park.

The National Yellowstone park, which is situated in three states—Wyoming, Montana and Idaho—comprises 3,575 square miles and is the largest park in the world.

The Greek Colonies.

The Greek colonies, commercial rather than military in character, soon became independent of the mother country. The Roman colonies remained in the closest possible connection, being governed from Rome through military governors.

Spain's Royal Palace.

The Escorial, Spain's royal palace, contains a cathedral, a monastery, two colleges, three chapter houses, three libraries and nearly 3,000 apartments in addition.

Bruises and Bumps.

Use hot water for bruises and bumps every time and when the skin is broken first a bath with clean water and then cleansing with a mild disinfectant such as a 1 per cent solution of carbolic acid. Salves and lotions whose compositions are unknown are not to be trusted.

Kernel of the Snake Nut.

The kernel of the snake nut of British Guiana is almost a perfect representation in miniature of a box constrictor.

Acidity in the Mouth.

A disordered stomach often gives rise to an acidity in the mouth which is very harmful to the teeth, causing tartar to form. In such cases it is well to rinse the mouth night and morning with an antiseptic solution.

An Engagement Kiss

(Original.)

I was in a frame of mind to get all the fun that could be possibly extracted from two weeks' vacation. I extracted so much in the first twenty-four hours that—but I anticipate.

I alighted at the hotel, gave my hand baggage to a porter and was climbing the piazza steps when I saw a girl whom I was sure I had never met before coming to meet me with a radiant smile.

"Good gracious!" she exclaimed. "I thought you were not coming till tomorrow."

"But you see I have come today," I replied, humoring her mistake, for I knew she was in error as to my identity.

"Well, I declare! You quite take my breath away," she went on, looking at me admiringly from tip to toe. "How you have improved! I'd scarcely have recognized you."
"You are the same lovely girl; you couldn't improve."

I was treading on dangerous ground, but relled as soon as the error was discovered on my ingenuity in making up a plausible story to let me out.

"Well," I said looking at her wistfully, "are you of the same mind?"
"Those people over there are looking at us. Leave me till after supper; then we'll walk on the beach."

I was glad to comply, determining that as soon as I rejoined her I would let the fact come out that I was not the lover she expected. When we met again my resolution weakened. I could not resist the temptation to enjoy a brief period with so charming a girl. We went down on to the beach in the gloaming and strolled on the line of foam. The moon rising out of the ocean glinted the crests of intervening waves. The stars were coming out. There was no sound but the plash of waves. I knew that if I talked of anything except love I would expose my hand, and it seemed as natural for me to talk love to her as if we had long been lovers. I told her how during the four years of absence my heart had yearned for her and begged her to tell me if I was to be made happy. Sailing on the broad sea of love I struck never a rock, and when it was time for us to go in she had no suspicion that she had made an exchange of lovers.

"And now," I said before parting, "give your reply in a kiss."
She kissed me, and that kiss was the loveliest, longest, most rapturous I ever took from woman's lips.
The next morning I rose late and was the only person in the breakfast room. Sitting by a window, I heard voices on the piazza.
"Who was the fellow," asked a man's voice, "and what did he look like?"
"Like you, very much improved from what you were when I saw you last."
"H'm! You don't seem to consider me improved."
"Not in disposition. You blame me for a very natural mistake."
"A very unnatural mistake. If you make such mistakes after we are married, there'll be the deuce to pay."
"We're not married yet."

I peeped through a slit in the blind and saw a man sitting with the girl I had made love to the night before. He looked very like me, though I did not feel flattered by the likeness. What should I do—sink out unobserved and take the first train or brazen it out? I marched boldly out and joined them.

I certainly expected both to receive me scornfully. Without waiting for either to speak I begged a thousand pardons of the girl for not rectifying her mistake at once, giving as my only reason that she was so charming I could not bring myself to do so. While I was speaking, which I did humbly, the face of the girl slowly broadened into a smile; that of the man grew momentarily surlier. Having done all I could to atone for my sin, I turned and left them.

I resolved to leave the place that afternoon, but, meeting the girl without her lover, she extended her hand to me and asked me to take a seat beside her. I did so and told her of my intention to depart, which had been formed on the ground that my presence there would not be agreeable to her and her lover. She declared that she would not be the cause of my departure and begged me to stay. I determined to remain for awhile, but if my presence proved objectionable I would go at once.

That evening, observing the young lady sitting alone on the piazza, I joined her. To my surprise, at my mention of her lover she said that he had gone.

Then she gave me her confidence in a matter of which I already knew the principal part. At eighteen she had admired a man whom she had known but a short time when he removed to another place. They had corresponded, and after four years' absence he had returned, hoping to get a favorable answer to his suit. She had been disappointed in him and had rejected him.

I chatted with her till the moon rose, then boldly asked her if she would walk on the beach. She accepted the invitation, and, walking over the same sands as the night before, I made the same love. She proposed that I should go away and return for an answer in four years, but I told her I had been in suspense for twenty-four hours and that was long enough. She considered that ridiculously short, but yielded. When later I rallied my wife on accepting me on such short acquaintance she said:

"H'm! Do you suppose I was going to let you go after that engagement kiss?"
MARK ANDERSON.

DAMES AND DAUGHTERS.

Mrs. John W. Markay, widow of the western mining king, has a weird carnelian necklace that once hung on the neck of a daughter of the Pharaohs.

Frau Godel, wife of a Hamburg merchant and millionaire, in twenty-five years of wedded life has presented her husband with thirty-three children, including five sets of triplets. She is a buxom matron of forty-five.

Mrs. Charles Walker, who entertained the class of '80, Biddeford, Me., high school at the recent reunion, wore the same dress which she wore at graduation, twenty-five years ago, and did not have to let out a single seam.

Mrs. Frederick Ferris Thompson, a comparatively unknown woman of New York, has given \$350,000 for the erection of a physical culture building for the Teachers' college, New York; \$500 to Vassar for a library, and \$400 for a chapel building for Williams college.

The Empress Eugenie has been engaged on a diary for many years, and every line of it has been written with the diamond pen used for signing the treaty of Paris in 1856. It is a quill from a golden eagle, richly mounted in gold and studded with numerous brilliants.

Mme. Sarah Bernhardt's Paris house exemplifies her extravagance in every way. Her bedroom is hung in purple embroidered with the golden flower of France, the ceiling is painted and the windows are draped with wonderful white lace curtains worked with peacock plumes.

Mrs. Louisa Manning, the oldest native of Salem, Mass., observed her ninety-eighth birthday the other day. Mrs. Manning is well preserved for her age, and clearly remembers when the Constitution was chased into Salem harbor by British warships. She heard the guns in the famous fight between the Chesapeake and the Shannon off Salem harbor in the 1812 war.

CURRENT COMMENT.

The cry for a canal on the sea level has given place to the demand for a canal on the level.—Memphis News-Scimitar.

Not five men in fifty who bet on a horse race win. If this were not so the bookmakers could not live, for their expenses are heavy.—Public Opinion.

That physician who prescribes abstinence from red highballs as a cure for red eyeballs understands human nature as well as he does medicine.—Washington Post.

Perhaps the world does not grow any better, and yet we never heard of the colleges, libraries and hospitals that Midas and Croesus founded with their money.—New York Mail.

The average insurance company considers persons of medium build the best risks. The average man who wants insurance is not quite clear yet as to what kind of company he considers the best risk.—Denver Republican.

LAW POINTS.

An assignment of wages to be earned in the future under an existing contract is held in Mallin versus Wenham (Ill.), 65 L. R. A. 902, to be valid, and the fact that the term of employment is not of definite duration is held to be immaterial.

The right of a railroad company perpetually to enjoin one who constantly rides upon the rails of its track by means of a bicycle is sustained in Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad company versus Spaulding (Kan.), 66 L. R. A. 587.

A right of action for malicious prosecution of a civil action in which there is no arrest or attachment of property and no special injury inflicted which would not necessarily result from the prosecution of any similar suit is denied in Abbott versus Thorne (Wash.), 65 L. R. A. 826.

Gallery Gods.

The expressions "among the gods" and "gallery gods" are said to have originated from the fact that the ceiling of Drury Lane theater, London, was formerly painted in imitation of a blue sky and fleecy clouds, among which a great number of Cupids were sporting themselves.

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